

Santiago Taken.

Washington: Shafter wired the war department from Santiago July 17th: The American flag was hoisted over the house of the civil government at noon on Sunday. Much distress exists, but little sickness. Scarcely any yellow fever. If Spanish had resisted it would have cost five thousand lives to take Santiago. Amid impressive ceremonies the Spanish threw down their arms. Shafter returned Gen. Toral's sword after the latter had surrendered it.

Six hundred cases and five deaths from yellow fever are reported from Shafter's camp. The total loss of United States troops at Santiago was 246 killed, 154 wounded, 84 missing.

A British cruiser has sailed for the French coast of Newfoundland. Trouble is expected.

Refugees are returning to Santiago.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, July 15th.

Five cases of small pox among last eight hundred Galicians which arrived in Winnipeg on Sunday last. They are quarantined near Stonewall.

Winnipeg, July 18, '98.

England won the Elcho challenge shield at Biele.

Reported that Germany will not interfere in the Philippines.

Cervera and his officers and men have arrived at Annapolis.

The W. C. T. U. council has repudiated the Chicago temple scheme.

An immediate advance of the United States army and navy on San Juan de Porto Rico is announced.

LOCAL.

Heavy rain again on Sunday night and showery to-day.

The Calgary Herald complains of drouth south of Calgary.

The numerous holiday camping parties are unfortunate in the weather, but the crops are doing well.

COLIN and Sam Johnston, traders of Athabasca Landing and Wabiscow lakes, left for the north on Saturday.

Heavy rain on Thursday night and hot weather all week. The crops are coming forward at a surprising rate.

A PARTY Sound picnic will be held at Fort Saskatchewan on the agricultural society's grounds on Wednesday next, July 20th.

F. BRICE, trader, left for Peace river last week in charge of the supplies of the railway survey parties, which he is freighting to Fort St. John.

S. A. BENTLEY came in last night from Devil's lake on the Lac St. Ann trail, where he has purchased a ranch. He leaves again to-day with a load of supplies.

SIR ARTHUR CURTIS, one of a party bound for the Yukon overland from Ashcroft lost himself while searching for horses and perished. The body was not found.

The hail storm of Monday last swept a strip about two miles wide from Egg lake north of St. Albert to the Beaver hills east of Fort Saskatchewan passing north of Sturgeon river.

MRS. COLLINS, Miss McLeod, Miss McCauley, Miss Richardson, Messrs. J. A. Boyle, Jos. Kelly, Chas. McMillan and F. Armstrong make up a camping party at Sandy lake.

THREE Norwegian settlers who have been in the Limestone lake district for some years have sold out and gone to the states rather than live near the Galician colony. Other members of the Norwegian settlement are preparing to follow their example.

The hot weather and rains have raised the river to a higher flood than at any previous time this season. If a like rise has taken place on the Athabasca, as it almost certainly has, the "Sparrow" will be able to get over the Grand Rapids at last.

H. OWENS, of South west Beaver lake, was in town on Friday. The season has been dry at the south end of the lake. Only two good showers having occurred up to Monday last. However crops were standing the dry weather very well. At the north end of the lake there had been more rain, and at the northern extremity of the Beaver hills there had been much more than at Edmonton.

J. LENOX McFARLANE, of Dublin, Ireland, who recently arrived to look over the Edmonton district with a view to settlement, speaks most highly of the appearance of the crops in this district. He decided to locate six miles east of Millet siding, 25 miles south of town, and has gone to Winnipeg to bring up his wife and family. The Northwest was brought to Mr. McFarlane's attention by Chas. Devlin, immigration agent, and by D. H. McDowall, ex-M. P. for Saskatchewan.

The government will treat with the half-breeds of the Athabasca and Peace river regions next summer at the same time and places as they will treat with the Indians. The dates are from June 8th, to August 23rd. Notice is now being sent to the Indians and half-breeds through the missionaries, H. B. Co., officials and traders. The commissioners will be A. E. Forget, Indian commissioner; J. McKenna, secretary of the Indian department, and another.

C. W. SUTTER, immigration agent, has shown the BULLETIN some excellent samples of grain from Stony Plain. Silver King barley over four feet in length; Silver mine oats four feet and Marvel spring wheat three feet in length. The straw of all three samples is very healthy and the heads long. The seed was from Sutter, seedsmen, of Chicago. Mr. Sutter mentions Messrs. Jacob Mohr, Valentine Mohr, Jacob and Adam Barron and W. Bellew, as having excellent crops of red life wheat, on the plain.

The Mackenzie-Glover concert company, composed of Mr. Wm. Mackenzie, the famous baritone and humorist, and Miss Jessie Glover, actress, elocutionist and character artist, will appear in Robertson hall, here, to-morrow evening, the 19th. These two artists are on a tour of the world, starting from Tasmania, Australia, where they have played for a number of years with great success. Miss Glover is a granddaughter of Scotland's famous tragedian, Edmund Glover, and Mr. Mackenzie's name is familiar to every Scotchman, as a singer of Scottish songs. They advertise concert, comedy and dramatic scenes. The Calgary Herald speaks in the highest terms of praise for their performances, as do also the coast papers. They will arrive on to-night's train.

PETAR LUTED left for Chipewyan on Saturday.

H. F. DAVIS, trader of Peace River, left on Saturday.

JOSEPH LADOCHEUR, trader, leaves for Lac la Biche to-day.

PONOKA public school district has been authorized to borrow \$250.

McDOUGALL & SECORD have added an awning to the front of their store.

MAJOR HELPMAN left for Slave lake on Tuesday last by way of the Landing.

The Minnow steamer will leave Fort Saskatchewan for Battleford on Wednesday.

G. CORNIEAU returned to-day from a very successful fishing trip to the west end of Stony Plain.

A RUNAWAY train on the Crow's Nest pass railway killed the engineer and fireman on a freight train near MacLeod.

The Battleford Herald, of July 8th, mentions that Haley & Wright, traders, of Isle la Crosse, passed through that town on their way to Edmonton.

P. UMBACH brought the BULLETIN this morning from his farm on Stony Plain. Ladoga wheat 56 inches in length, and red life 32 inches; barley, six rowed, 4 feet.

A CONSIDERABLE amount of driftwood has gathered on the south bridge pier since the water rose. Should the water rise much higher it would cause a serious strain on the pier.

The golf scores at the links on Saturday, the 9th, were: E. F. Slocock, 96, gold; L. Adamson, 101, silver; E. C. Emery, 110, bronze. Ladies: Miss Young, 70; Miss B. Slocock, 70; Mrs. Jellett, 87.

Two trains, with 776 Galicians for the Northwest, passed through Glauva on July 8th. They had \$17,940 amongst them, a fraction under \$24 each, with which to start farming in the west. This means government aid during the coming winter.

HAY is still worth \$10 to \$12 a ton. A few loads new of hay have been brought in but it does not command better prices as it has not much substance yet. Hay permits allow cutting after June 25th. Some farmers think the date should be pushed into August, as the hay is backward, owing to the dry spring.

The following justices of the peace have been gazetted: W. L. Wood, Athabasca Landing; F. S. Mitchell, St. Albert; M. McIntyre, South Edmonton; Thos. Taylor, Lake St. Anne; F. M. Rogers, James Speckman, Innisfail; H. J. Richard, F. J. Pennefather, Canmore; Howard Douglas, Banff; J. E. Luen, Gleichen.

WM. OGILVIE has been appointed commissioner for the Yukon in the place of Major Walsh. Major Steele will command the police in the district. The governing council for the district comprises the commissioner Mr. Ogilvie, Judge McGuire, Sept. S. B. Stuebel, S. E. Girouard, land registrar, and F. C. Wade, crown attorney and clerk of court.

By proclamation, dated Regina June 27, bulls are permitted to run at large in that part of the district of Alberta south of township 35 between the first day of February in any year and the 31st day of March in any year. The privilege is also allowed in the district of Saskatchewan west of range 11 west of the third meridian. Also in the western part of Assiniboia.

A PARTY of four left Edmonton for the Jasper house in May last. Two were Englishmen and two Americans or Manitobans. After reaching the vicinity of the Jasper house they decided to abandon their project, and the Englishmen returned by rail. The other two are said to have made a trail on Stony river, a tributary of the Athabasca, and the speakers intended to come by water to Athabasca Landing. Some anxiety is expressed as to the result of their adventure.

NOTWITHSTANDING the heavy rain, about two hundred men gathered in Robertson's hall yesterday afternoon to hear Evangelist Pugsley's address. The speaker, standing close to the line as he discussed the prevalent vices and temptations and urged his hearers to live the true life and lend the helping hand to the fallen. The appreciation and approbation of the audience was evidenced by breathless attention. Many eyes were wet as Mr. Pugsley pictured graphically the sad results of sin.

J. G. TREKUPP, of Alameda in the Souris district of Assiniboia, has been appointed land commissioner at Ottawa, the position held by the late A. M. Burgess at the time of his death. Mr. Turfitt has been identified with the Northwest for many years. He was a member of the Northwest council and assembly, and contested Eastern Assiniboia in the liberal interest against the Hon. Edgar Dewdney. He spent the greater part of last winter in Alberta in the interests of the Manitoba elevator company of which he was a member. Mr. Turfitt's practical knowledge of the Northwest and his reputation for business ability and fair dealing are a substantial guarantee of the good administration of the public lands under his direction.

CROPS.

A few weeks ago, owing to dry weather, the crops of the Edmonton district were thin, short and backward. Now owing to abundant rains and warmer weather, they are rank, long and forward. In some cases there is danger of loss by the crop lying down. Wheat and barley give every promise of an excellent yield. Oats did not sprout as evenly as the wheat and barley and consequently there is a prospect of a crop of mixed quality.

CHANGES IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Proclamation, dated Nov. 9th, '97, appearing in the Northwest Gazette of June 15th: The several conditions of the school ordinance in that behalf having been complied with, the council of public instruction has this day resolved: That the following tract of land, that is to say: Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20 in township 55 range 26 west of the fourth meridian, is hereby withdrawn from the Granger Catholic Public School District No. 42 of the Northwest Territories; and that from and after the date hereof the said school district shall comprise the following tract of land, that is to say: Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, in township 55 range 26; those portions of sections 33, 34, 35, and 36 lying north of the Sturgeon river in township 54 range 27; and that portion of section 21 lying north of the Sturgeon river in township 54 range 26; all west of the fourth meridian: Provided that the land withdrawn from said school district, that is to say: Sections 17, 18, 19, and 20 in township 55 range 26 west of the fourth meridian, shall be liable to assessment and levy by said school district for all rates and arrears of taxes at present due thereon in all respects as if the said land still remained a part of the said school district.

R. HARDISTY returned from Jasper house on Thursday. He had furnished pack transport for McEvoy of the geological survey as far as Maligne river in the Jasper pass, where Mr. McEvoy's work begins. Mr. McEvoy will work in the vicinity of Tete Jaune Cache on Fraser river at the western outlet of the pass this season, and hopes on his return to follow along the eastern base of the Rockies from Jasper house to Rocky mountain house. The Macleod and Pumbina rivers were low, but the Athabasca was high as Mr. Hardisty returned. Since his return Mr. Hardisty has been laid up with an attack of rheumatism, aggravated by an injury received from the kick of a horse before he left.

POUND DISTRICT.

A part of the town of Edmonton has been created a pound district. The boundaries are as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of Block No. 5 in River Lot 14; thence westerly in a right line to the southwest corner of Block 6 in River Lot 12; thence northerly along the easterly boundary of Namayo Avenue to a point directly opposite the northerly boundary of the street running east and west between Blocks 1 and 2 in River Lot 10 on the one side, and 3 and 4 in the same River Lot on the other side; thence westerly in a right line along the northerly boundary of the said street and the same line continued to the westerly side of Queen Street; thence southerly along the westerly side of Queen Street to the northeast corner of Rice Street; thence westerly in a right line along the northerly boundary of Rice Street and the same line continued 33 feet beyond the westerly boundary of River Lot 6; thence southerly in a right line to the northeast corner of Lot 161 in Block 1 of the Hudson's Bay Company's reserve; thence along the northerly boundary of said Block 1 to the northwest corner thereof; thence southerly in a right line to the northwest corner of Lot 77 in said Block 1; thence easterly in a right line to the northeast corner of Lot 84 in the same block; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of said Block 1 to the brow of the hill; thence easterly along the brow of the hill and following the rimstones thereof to the southwest corner of Lot 1 in Block B in River Lot 14; thence northerly in a right line to the southwest corner of Block 1 in said River Lot 14; thence northerly in a right line to the place of beginning; all being within the special survey of the Edmonton settlement.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JULY, 18th 1898.

NORTHERN MAILS.

The necessity of northern mail connection is brought out forcibly by the recent publication in the BULLETIN of letters from prospectors in the north, written four to six and even eight months previously. This too at a time when the information contained was of the greatest interest, not only to the friends to whom they were addressed, but more so, if possible, to the public at large, having an important bearing on the industrial development of the great north. Had these letters been received during the winter the information contained in them would have formed a substantial basis upon which prospectors could have calculated, and the result would doubtless have been that a very much larger number of people would have taken the Mackenzie route this season. As it is, the letters only got out when the season is already so far advanced as to detract very greatly from the usefulness of the information this year. The case in regard to the hundreds of prospectors who have gone north this season is the same. The information which they acquire will come out too late to be of any service either in causing others to go north if prospects are favorable or hindering them from going if they are unfavorable. The rush of prospectors has caused a complete change in the conditions in the great north, and unless the post office department is prepared to meet that change a very grave responsibility will rest upon it and upon the government. Hitherto, the H. B. Co. officials and the missionaries were the only white people north of Peace river in one direction and of Great Slave lake in the other. They, as well as the traders nearer Edmonton, lived under established conditions in accordance with which all calculations were made. If there was only one mail a year, very well; arrangements were made accordingly. The Hudson's Bay Company carried their own mail, and as a matter of accommodation to the missionaries carried their when practicable. Traders had to depend on chance, or on their one yearly trip to Edmonton for supplies. There are now ten to twenty white men in that region for one who was there a year ago. The people have gone in prospecting—on speculation—without any permanent arrangements. Dozens of others, on the outside, are interested financially and otherwise in their success or failure. It is one of the first necessities for their success—or possibly for their protection from disaster—as well as for the satisfaction and encouragement of their friends and the public generally, that mail communication should be established for their benefit.

The post office department has been urged repeatedly to take up this matter and has as repeatedly refused on the ground that the postal revenue at the three cent rate would not meet the expenses. Admitting that it would not. Postal service is not given as a business speculation in itself, but to aid the whole business of the country. And the question to be asked in regard to any extension of the service and consequent increase of expense is not: Will enough extra stamps be sold to pay the cost of mail service but: Will the granting of this service facilitate and therefore increase the general business of the country to a degree proportioned to the difference between the cost of the service and the revenue from it? The maintenance and probable increase of the very desirable expansion of trade which has taken place in the north this year depends more largely upon an adequate mail service than on any other consideration. The strictly Yukon trade done at Edmonton last spring amounted to from a quarter to half a million dollars, besides the very large amount of outfitting for this route done at other points. Surely the aid to the maintenance and extension of such a trade that a mail service would be is worth the trifling cost of such a service.

But if the department still holds that the service must pay its way, far better that it should charge up to

\$1.00 a letter than that the service should not be given. Just how the prospectors feel on this point is shown by the fact that those on Peace River have subscribed \$1.00 a month for a monthly mail between Edmonton and Fort St. John, whether they get letters or not. It is a disgrace to the post office department of Canada that such a course should be necessary on the part of men who are sacrificing time, money, and hard labor, and taking all sorts of chances, in the attempt to develop Canadian resources.

It has been argued by the department that the number of persons in the north to be served is small. This may be so comparatively. But in this case it is not the small number of people in the north, more than the large number of other people who are interested in them and in their efforts, that are to be served. An actual count of letters coming to Edmonton post office for northern points for the week ending July 11th showed 200 letters for Mackenzie river points, 97 for the Landing and 117 for Peace River. Also 145 pounds of papers for the three points. The number of letters and papers was double as large two months ago. Of course when friends find they can get no answer they cease writing. It is a disgraceful state of affairs that such a large amount of mail should have to wait chances of being forwarded and take chances of going astray, over established trade routes, where the need of a mail service has existed for years, but where the need has so very greatly increased within the past few months.

DANGER.

The news that for the second time this season Galician immigrants have reached Winnipeg with small pox, after having under gone quarantine inspection at Halifax is, to say the least startling. If the quarantine authorities at Halifax have failed to prevent the disease from being carried inland, it is just possible that the quarantine authorities at Winnipeg may also fail to prevent it from being carried to the settlements of these people in the Northwest. The settlement at Limestone lake, east of Fort Saskatchewan, numbers about 3,000. No other settlers live in the settlement. The Galicians hold very little communication with people of other nationalities. It is therefore easily possible that small pox may reach the settlement, and having reached it develop to serious proportions before being discovered, unless there is an adequate medical inspection of the settlement from time to time. The safety of the people of this district demands that such an inspection be made from time to time until all danger from infection through the new arrivals has passed.

HON. EDGAR DEWDNEY writes a long letter to the Victoria Colonist in which he sets forth the difficulties of getting from Glenora to Teslin lake without a trail. He says: "The money which is being spent in keeping the police while on the Stikine river and the cost of the transportation of the military through the uninhabited country to Teslin lake would have built the wagon road from Glenora to Teslin lake. Which would the miners and the public have preferred?" He says the government has contracted with the Hudson's Bay Company to pack 200 tons of military supplies from Glenora to Teslin lake at a cost of 35c to 40c a pound. At 40c a pound this will be \$160,000; considerably more than the estimated cost of building a wagon road for the 150 miles.

THE Free Press must have slipped a cog when it let the following piece of truth and common sense into its editorial columns:

"A Nanaimo miner just down from Dawson says: 'It cannot be too strongly impressed upon our legislators and those in authority that the Canadian placer mining laws as they are at present administered in the British Yukon, are at fault, and are actually retarding the development of our country. The present result is, that of the large influx of prospectors, by far the larger portion will this summer go past British territory, with its 100 feet, and present 250 feet claims, and alternate crown reserved claims, to American territory with 1,500 feet claims where the experienced prospector is left with both hands free, and the laws are not changed every six months.' This may be true, or not; but what seems extremely probable is that the operation of those laws is better understood at Dawson than at Ottawa."

McMURRAY.

This is the banner spring for McMurray. Between miners and H. B. Co. transport boats arriving and departing excitement has been running high. With 50 or 60 boats tied up to our shores, two or three hundred men roaming up and down our only street, that never contained more than two dozen on "Fair day" makes this, to say the least, some considerable shucks of a burg.

On the 3rd of June a party of Klondikers arrived by way of the Clearwater from Prince Albert. They are originally from Montreal. They were something like two months out from Prince Albert. They reported having had a hard and expensive trip.

The H. B. Co's steamer "Graham" and Catholic Mission steamer, "St. Joseph" arrived from Fort Smith on the 16th to meet their transport from the Landing. They return as soon as loaded to Fort Smith to catch north bound boats that are waiting for them there.

Very nearly every other man, woman or child here has the la gripe. No very serious cases, still its here and the afflicted are miserable while it remains. It is abating some and we hope to bid adieu to an unwelcome sojourner shortly.

Mr. Nagle waited over for two days for his horses that he sent overland from the Boiler rapids. He got away for Fort Smith on the 15th. Pilots Macdonald and Clark piloted his fleet down from the Boiler rapids. They were bound up river, and met him there, returning with him. The trip was made without accident. His horses got through O. K. and at the present writing, bar accident, they ought to be at Fort Smith.

DICK.

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FORT LIARD.

Geo. Purches writes to J. R. Turnbull under date of Nov. 26th, '97. Mr. Purches left Edmonton in August last with the Howey-Stephen party. At date of writing he was in winter quarters five miles from Fort Liard in company with George Faldieu, at one time of St. Albert. He had left the main party at Fort Simpson. Purches and Faldieu saved out lumber for a boat at Fort Simpson, and then traded the lumber with the H. B. Co. for a boat already built. The boat was square ended and proved very heavy to track. One man tracked and the other steered. They had hard work tracking up the rapids above the mouth of the Liard, but finally succeeded in reaching Fort Liard, 21 days out from Simpson. The boat usually carried eight hundred pounds with a crew of four men. They had 1,700 pounds and two men. Slush ice had been running for ten days before they stopped, principally from the Nahanni river. At last, on Oct. 20th, they were compelled to stop five miles from Fort Liard. The Liard is wider than the Saskatchewan. They found that Wright and Pelly could not get further than 28 miles from Toad river, on the Liard, as the Indians quit them. Howey and Stephen got to the Liard first. Graham and Shaw are behind, Dan Carey is with Pelly, and also two of Mr. Camell's sons. Purches and Faldieu built a shack 12x8 with mud chimney, a door but to window. They put out about 50 traps, but had very little success. Purches gives a list of requisites. He says: Tallo, say 50 lbs. to the man. I never eat grease. Butter, even at home, I never used, but find it absolutely necessary here. Flour and bacon should be at least 2 1/2 lb. per day per man. Tea and tobacco are the currency of the country and one can never have too much of either. Compressed vegetables in square tins, yeast cakes, baking powder, rice, oatmeal, salt, pepper, candles, three or four picks and extra handles, spare axes, shovels, quarter inch and 1 inch rope, tracking line, oakum, whip saw, nails, iron pails, are all requisites, good blankets, leggings, and mitts, (half breed style) moccasins, (large) German socks and under-clothing.

The weather here is not perceptibly colder than at Edmonton, though I think the growth is later. The potatoes are large at the Roman Catholic mission, but small elsewhere. Moose are plentiful around here. They are snared, and crust hunted when the snow is deep. A spur of the Rockies reaches right down to the river here, rising almost from nothing with a gradual ascent to the main chain. This is where moose are plentiful. [At this point in Mr. Purches' letter appears an excellent pencil sketch of a moose, which he says is a picture of the one they didn't get.]

On Dec. 9th, Mr. Purches continues his letter. He says: Our trapping is very slow, in spite of the number of traps, snares and deadfalls we have out. So far for the month, 2 lynx, 1 marten, 1 silver fox and 1 mink. The rats at the fort are moose meat and potatoes. We are buying two bags of potatoes from the mission at 4 skins a bushel, equal to \$2.00. The Indians' here are the "Slaves" and a very dirty lot they are.

I will probably go up the Upper Liard river between the Frances and the Dease, into the country from whence the Hootalingue and Big Salmon rivers flow, said to be rich in gold. I overlooked to mention the good indications of mineral wealth shown between Lake Athabasca and Great Slave lake. This country I believe will one day be shown to be richer than Lake Superior and the Lake of the Woods. Some day I hope to prospect the region between Fond du lac on Lake Athabasca and Fond du lac on Great Slave lake. Numerous pieces of galena have already been found in that region. Why not gold or other valuable metals. The government should make a mineralogical survey of that country. It is easily accessible.

We have had a very mild winter so far, November was cold, -30 centigrade, but the months of December and January were warm, with a chinook wind. From December 25th until January 8th there was a strong thaw and all the springs were running. We have whip sawn lumber for our new boat, and the H.B. Co. have given us an order for a 12 piece boat (1,200 lbs. cargo) at 40 skins, and an order for 40 birch boards at a skin a piece, [a skin is about 50c]. There have been about 100 moose killed along the river this winter. There are very few moose on the mountains and the mountain Indians are destitute, there being little fur. Lynx and marten are exceptionally scarce.

I have just heard from up the river, Wright & Pelly, Jenners, Graham, and the Stephen party, except Stephen & Howey, are pulling their stuff up the Liard by hand. They had not enough dogs and have had to discard some of their supplies. They are making slow progress. Graham attempted to send adrift a boy named Billy who was with him, but the rest of the party took half Graham's stuff and gave it to the boy. We intend leaving here about the second week in May. I hope to return in '99.

GEOLOGICAL PROSPECTS.

A short time ago F. Fraser Tims, secretary of the Edmonton board of trade, addressed a letter of enquiry to Prof. G. M. Dawson, director of the geological survey, Ottawa, as to the prospect of finding paying minerals in the north and northwest of Edmonton. Prof. Dawson replied under date of July 8th:

Regarding Athabasca lake, Prof. Dawson speaks of an area of Huronian rocks, 20 miles in width, on the north shore, about midway up the lake and just east of Black bay. He says: "These Huronian rocks resemble those which carry gold bearing quartz veins on the Lake of the Woods and elsewhere, and seem to constitute the best field for exploration [on Lake Athabasca] in search of deposits of this kind."

Of Great Slave lake, Great Bear lake and the Barren lands too little is known to warrant an opinion. He speaks of the possibility of copper on Great Slave lake and also on the Arctic coast at the mouth of Copper mine river, but nothing is known of gold in that region.

Of the country between the Peace and Pelly rivers he says: From Peace river across to the Liard and up the latter as far as Devil's portage the rocks belong chiefly to the cretaceous system. They contain coal and lignite, probably often in workable seams, if any demand should arise for these fuels locally. The larger streams may probably yield some flour gold; and on reaching the Liard more or less richly auriferous bars, some of which have been worked over many years ago, occur. The paying bars were reported not to extend below Fort Halkett on the Liard.

The gold on the Liard probably comes for the most part from the country to the west of the Rocky mountain range.

From Devil's portage to Mountain Portage, in ascending the Liard, the rocks are chiefly limestones, constituting the Rocky Mountain range proper. Experience indicates that these rocks are not likely to be metalliferous to any important extent, but to the west of the point last mentioned, and anywhere on the upper waters of the Liard and Pelly the conditions become much more favorable. Rocks of many different kinds occur and vein quartz is abundant in most of the streams. The region is in fact part of the western metalliferous belt of the continent. Heavy or coarse gold may be sought for on bed rock in the smaller streams and gulches, and veins carrying the precious metals are known to occur. This region, to the west of the first mountain range, is therefore that to which the attention of the prospector may reasonably be turned, with the hope of immediate results of value.

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SLAVE LAKE TRAIL.

Insp. Snyder and party returned on Saturday from a trip over the new trail from Edmonton to Lesser Slave lake and on to Peace River. He left Peace River Crossing on July 2nd and Slave lake on Thursday, July 7th. Chalmers' road cutting party was within five miles of Slave lake on the 7th and expected to get through by Saturday, the 16th. On the way in Mr. Snyder followed Chalmers' trail from Drift Pile river, 25 miles from Slave lake narrows, bringing back from that point the carts which he had taken out. He met J. H. Ross, of the Northwest government, and Mr. McCauley, M. L. A., on Tuesday evening at Deep Creek, about half way to Slave lake. They had then been nearly three days out from Edmonton and would need about four more days to get through. He met Legrand and Gray, traders of Peace river, near the same place, four and a half days out from Edmonton with heavy team and wagon, but lightly loaded. He met Dupont and railway survey party half way between the Pembina and the Athabasca; met Dibble and railway survey party at the Pembina; met McLeod and Northwest government exploring party this side of the Pembina, and also Phillip Tate, of Edmonton, bound for Slave lake with teams and wagons. Five or six parties with carts and wagons were following Chalmers, and several other parties under the leadership of a man named Smith had branched from Chalmers' trail at Drift Pile river and were following the pack trail in from that point also with teams, cutting their own road. A Montana party with wagons was met on the north side of the Deer Mountain. They had five horses poisoned, Mr. Snyder thinks by eating a poisonous weed. However, all but one seemed likely to recover. Several parties had lost horses in the same way. Capt. Worley was on the ridge of Deer Mountain with four horse team and about 3,000 pounds in the wagon, making good progress. A Chicago party which had been stuck on Deer Mountain since the snow left was being packed through by Shes and another. The pack trail, which had got through Slave lake and came back for the purpose. Walker, of Calgary, was at Saulteaux river south of Deer Mountain and also Wood Bros., of Pigeon Lake. A number of other small parties were met, all using wheels.

On the cut trip Mr. Snyder left Edmonton on June 27th, reached Slave lake on June 22nd, and Peace River on the 27th. He took four carts and horses, besides saddle horses, and about 500 pounds of load to the cart. The party were: Insp. Snyder, Count McClellan, F. Desjardins, interpreter, and H. Edmonson, who went on a pleasure trip. The road from Edmonton to the Pembina was good. The crossing of that river was a good and the road has been shortened several miles at this point. The ferry runs well. Between the Pembina and the Athabasca is the Paddle river—fertile land—with pretty steep banks. The country is well timbered and the road has been worked into bad holes in many places. In one place a fire has been running in a spruce swamp, and the trees are falling in time to time and have to be cut out of the trail. The Athabasca ferry is excellent and the hills are not bad. Beyond the Athabasca the road is entirely new, and is very fair to the foot of Deer Mountain. Deep Creek, 20 miles out from the Athabasca, is deep, ford, and is followed for about twenty miles beyond the ford. Fifteen miles further on Vermilion Creek is crossed, also by a good ford. Seven miles further Saulteaux Creek. The road is fairly good with plenty of feed for stock to a point about seven miles beyond Saulteaux river where the rise of Deer Mountain commences. The rise up the mountain is long and not very steep, but the timber grows thickly and the trail is yet very stumpy, making travel very difficult. The ascent of the mountain is about 12 miles. The descent on the northerly side of the mountain is very much steeper, into the valley of the Swan river. The distance from the top of the ridge to the river is about sixteen miles. Some side cutting has been done on the way down this incline which will have to be improved. Grass is very scarce on both sides of Deer Mountain, practically from Saulteaux Creek to Swan River, 35 miles. The Swan river is a small stream in low water, but flows in a wide gravel bed which indicates a great rise at times. The Indians say that the Swan river rises very quickly from rains and subsides as quickly.

On reaching Swan river on the way out, the wagon trail not having been cut much further at that time, Glen Campbell and party from Dauphin, Man., decided to follow the valley of the river to the lake shore and then the shore of the lake to the west end, rather than wait for the trail to be cut through with teams. They reached Slave lake post on the same day as Mr. Snyder. Other parties with carts followed Campbell and others again with wagons followed them. All these have reached Slave lake post by this route before Mr. Snyder returned from Peace River. This route is about forty miles longer than the direct trail will be when completed.

Beyond Swan river rises the House Mountain. Before reaching it the House Mountain Creek, (the north branch of the Swan river, and a very similar stream), is crossed. The wagon trail only cut to this point when Mr. Snyder reached it on the way out. He therefore left his carts there and went on by the old pack trail with his horses packed. The trail passes to the north side of House Mountain. Although there is more grass for horses from Swan river to Slave lake post than on the Deer Mountain, there is not as much as to the south of Deer Mountain.

From House Mountain Creek to Drift Pile river is about 25 miles. The wagon trail was completed about that river before Mr. Snyder's return from Peace River. He had his carts brought on from where he had left them at House Mountain Creek and Drift Pile river. The other two he sent on to Slave lake for police use. The trail is not particularly difficult from Swan river to Slave lake. Taken all through the trail can be travelled with wagons with half loads. Mr. Snyder thinks wagons are better than carts for use on it.

The old trail from Lesser Slave lake to Peace River Crossing is good in dry weather but full of pitch holes, and would be very bad in wet weather. There are no bad hills on it, except the long one going down into the Peace valley.

The season had been very dry at Peace River. The crops were not expected to yield more than the seed. The Helman party were at the Landing preparing to go down the

Peace, but seemed to not be very well settled as to their course. The Clifford party were at the crossing bound for St. John. Also Glen Campbell and party. There were several other small parties there also, most of them for St. John.

TOWN COUNCIL.

Tuesday, July 12th.

Communications:
Jas. and Louis Symonds, asking for help to get a railway pass to the States.
Rev. S. Pritchard: taxes.
J. A. Reid: giving limits of town pound district. Filed.
C. deW. Macdonald: taxes on w. 1/2 lot 20, river lot 6.

Deputy minister public works: bridge approaches. Laid on table.
J. Leslie: asking; immigration information. Information sent.
N. D. Beck: judgment in Heimick vs. town.

C. P. R. was asked for reduced rates for the Meara Symons.
It was decided that the McDermott property must be cleared of rubbish at once or the town would do the work and charge it up.

The question as to flooding of cellar of C. Gallagher's new building remains in abeyance until definite claim is made by Mr. Gallagher.

Ross—McLeod: That the judgment in Heimick vs. the town and Mr. Beck's letter thereon be published in the Bulletin, and Mr. Beck be asked to ascertain from Ottawa the probable cost of appeal to the privy council.

Rev. S. Pritchard's letter was referred to the secretary treasurer.

It was decided that the council could not deal with the taxes on w. 1/2 lot 20, river lot 6, as requested by Mr. Macdonald.

N. Patterson was allowed \$35 for cleaning up lots 4 to 7, block B, river lot 14.

The fire, water and light committees reported and it was agreed that the fire engine should only be used for fire purposes except by unanimous vote of the council.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Miss Georgina Kelly, tax refund,	\$55.73
A. McNeil, auditing,	5.00
Edmonton Bulletin, printing,	1.50
Postmaster, box rent,	6.00
C. Mathers, views,	6.50
C. P. R., telegraph,	4.38
W. H. Clark, repairing cells,	13.50
N. Patterson, scavenging,	35.00
Garipey & Chenier, relief,	10.20
C. Gallagher, relief,	3.60
G. H. Graydon, sponge,	.30
Telephone Co.,	18.00
Electric light,	65.75
W. H. Durdle, watchman, (Armstrong fire)	1.00
D. R. Fraser, lumber,	16.38
Jos. Griesenthwaite, laborer,	12.50
Labor account,	12.10
Walter & Hummerstone, lumber,	76.37
H. B. Spratt, teaming,	9.00
H. B. Spratt, fire dep's work,	1.00
Wages account, board of works,	27.00

TWO MEN DROWNED.

The reported drowning of the two Church brothers mentioned in last issue, has been confirmed, but the accident took place at the Athabasca crossing of the Jasper House trail, not on the Slave lake trail as reported. A party of four, three of them named Church, and one named Luxton left Edmonton in the latter end of May with a pack outfit of some 24 head of horses bound for the upper waters of Smoky river, the principal tributary of the Peace east of the mountains. At the point at which the Athabasca is crossed to strike off to the Jasper trail to Smoky river the Athabasca narrows from 300 yards to 150, making a short swim for horses, but very deep and swift current. Two of the Church's waded into the water in the effort to get their horses to swim. One got out of his depth and called to the other who, followed him. Both were swept out of sight at once and were never seen again. The accident occurred about June 15th. The two men, who were drowned had been ranching at Sheep Creek, south of Calgary, for some years and were the experienced men of the party. Luxton and the remaining Church brother were only recently from England. They were unable to recover the bodies and decided to abandon the expedition. They disposed of their supplies to a trapper named Swift and returned to Edmonton on Tuesday last.

POLICE CONTRACTS.

Fort Saskatchewan, beef lbs,	20,900
" butter lbs,	2,000
" hay tons,	100
" oats lbs,	100,000
" wood cords,	300
" coal tons,	100
Edmonton, hay tons,	40
" oats lbs,	32,000
" coal tons,	60
St. Albert, hay tons,	8
" coal tons,	13

Tenders received by Supt. Griesbach up to noon on July 23rd. Marked cheque for ten per cent of amount of tenders must accompany each tender.

FUR SALES.

De Coyne, of V. A. S. to Ross Bros., \$500.
J. Ladouneur, of Lac la Biche, to McDougall & Secord, private sale.
P. Pruden, Athabasca Landing, to Ross Bros., private sale.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Monday, 11,	Max.	Min.
Tuesday, 12,	87	88	55
Wednesday, 13,	82	82	62
Thursday, 14,	69	69	58
Friday, 15,	78	78	59
Saturday, 16,	81	81	58
Sunday, 17,	71	71	60
Monday, 18,			51

Barometer reduced to sea level 29.325.
Rainfall 2 inches.

BIRTHS.

McQUEEN—At the manse, Edmonton, on Thursday, July 14th, the wife of Rev. D. G. McQueen, B. A., of a daughter.

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